## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION DOCKET NO. 3:15-cr-00233-MOC-DCK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
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Vs.	)	ORDER
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AMY HILTY,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

THIS MATTER is before the Court on a letter (#28) from defendant asking this court to issue an Order directing the Bureau of Prisons to place her in "direct home confinement" status rather than in a halfway house. Once a defendant matriculates into the prison system, determinations as to housing and placement are, however, within the sound discretion of the Bureau of Prisons and do not reside with the sentencing court. Defendant is encouraged to bring her concerns to the attention of her counselor within the Bureau of Prisons.

## **ORDER**

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that to the extent defendant seeks relief from this court in her letter (#28), such relief is denied as this court lacks authority to grant the requested relief.

Signed: August 7, 2017

Max O. Cogburn Jr United States District Judge